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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the Patent Application (37 CFR 1.53(b)) in the name(s) of:
Ralf WOLLESCHENSKY and Gunter MOEHLER**FOR: METHOD FOR RAPID CHANGE OF FLUORESCENCE BANDS IN THE DETECTION OF DYES
IN FLUORESCENCE MICROSCOPY**This application is based upon provisional application serial no. 60/230,342 filed September 6, 2000.
ENCLOSED ARE:

- (X) 16 pages of Specification, 11 pages of Claims (# of claims 87) & Abstract;
- (X) Figs. 1 - 9 / Nine (9) sheet(s) of Drawings;
- (X) EXECUTED Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- (X) PTO-1619A and an Assignment to: *Carl Zeiss Jena GmbH*;
- (X) Certified copy(ies) of German Patent Appln No. 100 38 526.5 filed August 8, 2000, the priority(ies) of which is(are) claimed under 35 USC 119;
- (X) Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and 3 reference(s) and 3 English lang. Abstracts;;
- () Verified Statement to establish Small Entity Status (37 CFR 1.9 & 1.27):

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